**BLACKBERRIES PM Level 6 – Comprehension Questions**

**Factual:**

1. What did the three bears go into the forest for? (Show me in the text.)
2. How do we know that Baby Bear liked blackberries? (Show me in the text.)
3. What did Mother Bear ask Father Bear? (Show me in the text.)
4. Where does Baby Bear say that his blackberries are? (Show me in the text.)

**Inferential:**

1. Do all the bears like blackberries? How do we know this?
2. What was the problem in the story?
3. How do Mother Bear and Father Bear feel when they can’t see Baby Bear? How do we know this?
4. Was Baby Bear lost? Explain your answer.

**Interpretive:**

1. How do you think Father Bear and Mother Bear feel about Baby Bear having eaten all his blackberries?
2. How does the illustrator show us that Father Bear and Mother Bear are worried about Baby Bear?
3. If Baby Bear had been a girl bear do you think that Father Bear and other Bear would have been as worried?
4. What does the author do to make us feel happy at the end?

**Critical / Evaluative:**

1. Do you think that children should stay close to their parents in the woods / bush?
2. Explain why you would / wouldn’t you eat blackberries if you found some in the woods / bush.
3. What would you do if you got lost in the bush?